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Patent 040071-229

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT** 

In re Patent Application of

Peter Malm

Group Art Unit: 2157

Application No.: 09/735,495

Examiner: RAMY M OSMAN

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Title: COMPRESSION BASED ON CHANNEL CHARACTERISTICS

## AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Enc	losed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.					
	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.					
	Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$\_\$55.00 (2814) \$\_\$110.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. \§ 1.20(d) are also enclosed.					
	Also enclosed is/are					
	Small entity status is hereby claimed.					
	☐ Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$385.00 (2801) ☐ \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).					
	Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.					
	Applicant(s) previously submitted					
	on					
	Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.					
	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.					

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X	No additional claim fee is required.
	An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below.

AMENDED CLAIMS Highest No.							
	No. of Claims	of Cla Previo	aims ously		Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	17	MINUS	20	=	0	x \$18.00 (1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	MINUS	3	11	0	x \$86.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds m	nultiple depen	dent claim	ıs, ad	d \$	290.00 (1203)		
Total Claim Amendment Fee			\$ 0.00				
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee			\$ 0.00				
TOTAL ADDITIONAL	CLAIM FEE	DUE FOR	R THIS	S A	MENDMENT		\$ 0.00

A check in the amount of	of is enclosed for the fee due
Charge	to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.
Charge	to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **RESPONSE**

**Attn: Mail Stop Amendment** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 17, 2004, having a period for response set to expire September 17, 2004. The following remarks are respectfully submitted, and reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.